ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT APPROVAL

STATE BOARD MEETING DATE December 10,2007

SUBJECT: Consideration of Approval for Extension of Teacher Education Programs Submitted by

the University of Arizona

SUBMITTED BY: Jan Amator, Deputy Associate Superintendent of Highly Qualified Professionals

MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW: November 8, 2007

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The University of Arizona requests State Board approval of the Bachelor of Science in Physical Education, Bachelor of Arts in Education-Cross Categorical, Masters of Arts in Learning Disabilities, Bachelor of Science, Family and Consumer Sciences and Family and Consumer Sciences Education major (FACS). These programs were initially submitted to the Arizona Department of Education on January 15, 2006. The site visit conducted on November 14-16, 2007 included a review of these programs. Program approvals were not extended beyond State Board approval date of December 31, 2007. Report of Site Findings for each program is attached. Between the site visit and re-submission of program documents, face-to-face meetings, phone conferences and emails have occurred between ADE staff and faculty at the University of Arizona. These programs were resubmitted to ADE on or before September 15, 2007 as required in the program recommendations.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED: [] INFORMATION [X] ACTION

DESCRIBED BELOW:

Grant two-year approval for the University of Arizona Bachelor of Science in Physical Education, Bachelor's of Arts in Education-Cross Categorical, Masters of Arts in Learning Disabilities, Bachelor of Science, Family and Consumer Sciences and Family and Consumer Sciences Education major (FACS).

ATTACHMENTS: YES [X] NO []